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**MEMORANDUM FOR BUREAU CHIEF PROCUREMENT OFFICERS**

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**SUBJECT:** Cancellation of Acquisition Bulletins (ABs) 02-20, 02-24, 03-05, and 05-06, related to Acquisition E-Government systems.

**Purpose:** Cancellation of the following ABs: 02-20, 02-24, 03-05, and 05-06. This AB cancels the AB 02-20 requirement for calculating cost savings and reporting them to the Treasury Acquisition Data System (TADS), the AB 02-24 notice of significant changes to the TADS and FPDS systems, and the AB 03-05 and related AB 05-06 requirement for populating the Inter-Agency Contract Directory (ICD).

**Effective Date:** This AB is effective immediately.

**Expiration Date:** Not applicable.

**Background:** AB 02-20 and AB 02-24 provided guidance to Treasury procurement personnel regarding the use and implementation of TADS. TADS is a legacy system and has been replaced by the Federal Procurement Data System (FPDS). As such, these ABs are no longer relevant. AB 03-05 and AB 05-06 focus on the Inter-Agency Contract Directory (ICD), which has been replaced by a Search capability within the FPDS system. As a result, the ICD is no longer operational, making these ABs obsolete.

**Action:** AB 02-20, 02-24, 03-05, and 05-06 are cancelled. No Bureau action is required.

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